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CITY IMPLEMENTS NEW LIGHTING SYSTEM FOR CITY TENNIS COURTS

In an effort to use less energy and save money, the City of Charleston has improved its tennis court lighting systems. Lights will now be turned on manually with a hand switch, and the lights will be turned off automatically around the designated closure time for the specific park.

The new hand activated timer at each tennis court site allows players to turn the timer device to the number of hours they wish to play.

Tennis courts where the hand switches have already been installed are:

Jack Adams Tennis Center - Congress Street in downtown Charleston
Forest Park Playground - Playground Road in West Ashley
Parkshore Park in Parkshore III subdivision in West Ashley
Harborview/Fort Johnson Park - at the corner of Harborview and Fort Johnson
Roads on James Island
Moultrie Playground - Ashley Avenue in downtown Charleston

In order to activate the light timers, players should look for a clear plastic cover that is the size of a light switch cover. Lift the cover from the bottom and turn the handle to the desired number of hours.

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